

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L MANILA 5156

SUBJ: PRESS GUIDANCE- EVACUATION OF SAIGON(C)

REF SECSTATE WASH DC 201728Z APR 75, EVACUATION OF SAIGON(C)

1. (C) THERE ARE CURRENTLY 21 MEDIA REPS AT CLARK, WITH NUMBER INCREASING DAILY. WITH THIS NUMBER FOCUSED ON STORY, LITTLE CAN BE WITHHELD THAT WILL NOT EVENTUALLY BE FERRETED OUT AND REPORTED.
2. (C) PAST PRACTICE HAS BEEN TO LIST INCOMING FLIGHTS WITH ETA'S AND TO GIVE ESTIMATED NUMBER PASSENGERS ABOARD EACH FLIGHT (WITHOUT NATIONALITY BREAKDOWNS). THIS FACILITATES PRESS COVERAGE, BUT IS NOT ESSENTIAL TO IT SINCE PRESS PRESS STILL WILL COVER ARRIVALS WITH OR WITHOUT LISTINGS. IN OTHER WORDS, BY REMOVING A CONVENIENCE, WE ARE NEEDLESSLY ALIENATING PRESS WITHOUT GAINING ANY PERCEIVABLE SECURITY ADVANTAGE.
3. (C) PUBLIC AFFAIRS REPS HERE ARE INSTRUCTED NOT REPEAT NOT REFER TO CURRENT OPERATION AS "EVACUATION".
4. (C) PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST WHETHER WE CAN RETURN TO FORMER LISTING PRACTICE. SULLIVAN.

CLEARANCE: DCM-MR. PURNELL

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